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Timely, authentic and complete information on new issues, unlisted varieties, projected philatelic events, etc., is the aim of this department. We will deeply appreciate all contributions of this nature from our readers, and full credit will be given in each case. All contributions should if possible be accompanied by specimens of the stamps concerned, which will be returned promptly.

Edited by - - - - RALPH A. KIMBLE

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ALGERIA

This country enters the air-post field for the first time with a rather striking set of six air stamps inscribed "Alger-Tunis". These have just appeared in connection with the Centenary celebration. They are on a very soft wove paper colored thru; the paper having numerous colored threads in its texture. The figures of value are impressed in red on all values except the 1 fr. where black is used. The design illustrated is the same for all values.

1930 Air Post Stamps

AP-1 25c green on yellow
AP-1 50c deep green on green
AP-1 1fr carmine red on pink
AP-1 2fr deep blue on blue
AP-1 5fr red violet on lilac
AP-1 10fr brown on buff

—(Vahan Mozian, Inc.)

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC

From the Economist Stamp Co., we have just received the much-discussed Zeppelin air-post stamps. As reported in our issue of June 28th the first printing was placed on sale overprinted in blue on May 19th. These were completely sold out within a few hours, so on May 21st a second printing appeared with the overprint in green. The type of overprint applied is the same in all cases. The stamps themselves are from the 1928 air-post series. We are giving after each value the actual number printed

1930 Air Post Stamps

Blue Overprint

AP-2 20c ultramarine (10,000)
AP-4 50c gray-black (10,000)
AP-3 1p slate-blue & red (10,000)
AP-4 1.80p blue & lilac rose (5,000)
AP-4 3.60p gray & blue (4,750)

Green Overprint

AP-2 20c ultramarine (10,000)
AP-4 50c gray-black (10,000)
AP-3 90c black-brown (12,000)
AP-4 1.80p blue & lilac-rose (1,500)

AUSTRIA

From Mr. S. Bendet we have a beautiful first day cover from Austria bearing the three new air-post stamps forecast in our issue of June 28th. These were issued on June 18th and are of the same type as the low values of the 1925 issue. They are new values to take care of certain changes in the postal tariff over there and will be permanent.

1930 Air Post Stamps

AP-3 20g deep orange-brown
AP-3 25g deep violet
AP-3 80g green

AZORES

Philatelic Gossip reports that they have received two new values of the 1926 Portugal postage series (Scott's No. 397 & 400) overprinted for this colony similarly to Azores type A-30.

1930 (Lisbon print, no imprint at foot)

A-30 4c deep orange
A-30 10c scarlet

BOLIVIA

This country has come into the limelight with a set of provisional air-post stamps just issued. They are overprinted on certain values of the 1924 series (Scott's No. 301 to 305) with the following inscription: "Correo Aereo—R. S.—6 v. 1930", in three lines. In addition the first one of the set bears a change of value as indicated below. An interesting feature of this issue is that a special printing of these overprints, with the exception of the 50c, was made for the Zeppelin trip. These may be distinguished by the character of the ink used in the overprint, it being of a metalic nature of a quite different appearance, tho of the same colors. We give below a complete list of this issue in both types of ink, with number issued and color of overprint.

1930 Air Post Stamps

Special Set in Metalic Ink

AP-1 5c on 10c vermilion and black (green) (350)
AP-1 10c vermilion and black (blue) (350)
AP-1 15c carmine and black (violet) (350)
AP-1 25c dark blue and black (red) (350)
AP-2 1b red brown and black (gold) (350)

Normal Set

AP-1 5c on 10c vermilion and black (green) (7,650)
AP-1 10c vermilion and black (blue) (7,650)
AP-1 15c carmine and black (violet) (9,650)
AP-1 25c dark blue and black (red) (7,650)
AP-1 50c orange and black (sepia) (7,650)

AP-2 1b red brown and black (gold) (950)

—(E. M. Walton in Mekeel's)

CANADA

Marks Stamp Co., Ltd. report the issuance of the first two of the new postage series which will replace the present historical set. These are printed on the rotary press, perf. 11 and bear King George's head in a frame of new design.

1930 2c green
5c purple

CHILE

The 1 peso postage stamp Type A43 has appeared on thin paper in the same green and black color, watermarked star in shield multiple (215)

—(R. Roberts in Mekeels)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

We have at hand two more of the new postage series in addition to the 2c carmine reported last week. Design the same for all values. The 5c and 10c are also reported to have appeared.

1930 ½c lilac rose
1c green

DUTCH INDIES

Lesgor and Reel report to Mekeel's the 2c gray, Type A-11.

ECUADOR

A new supply of the current postage and official stamps have been ordered, with a probability of a change of colors, this being a favorite stunt here.

This August will see the issuance of a beautiful set of centenary stamps of denominations from 1c to sucres, or a total face value of about 20 sucres.

There are now being issued a set of three provisional air-post stamps of 1, 5 and 10 sucres value in commemoration of the flight of the airplane "Recaurte" from Bogota to Quito. Only 5,000 of each value printed.

—(Mr. H. Chitraro)

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The King Fuad stamps of the higher values (Type A-44) have been improved in design. Numerous lines have been strengthened, giving the stamp a cleaner and better appearance. The quickest way to tell the new design is to note that the fez has been shaded on the right side.

—(Marks Stamp Co., Ltd.)

FRANCE

Hitherto this country has entered the air-post field only with a few scarce surcharges, but she sprung a surprise recently in issuing the attractive design illustrated. Rather a better product than we expect from French printers, and its simplicity and color will appeal to collectors.

1930 Air Post Stamp
AP-1 1.50 fr. deep lilac rose.

—(Economist Stamp Co.)
—(Vahan Mozian, Inc.)

GERMANY

We illustrate the modified design of the 2 reichsmark value recently chronicled.

1930 Designs of Issue of 1924 with new words of value
A-44 2 reichsmark blue.

—(Vahan Mozian, Inc.)

HONDURAS

From Mr. C. M. Clark we have the following additional errors to be found on the new 5c on 20c brown provisional air-post stamp, Scott's type A-24:

No period after "Oro" (2 in each pane of 25)

Small v in "Servicio"

Comma instead of period after "Oro".

Mr. H. Chitraro submits for chronicle three more provisional air-post stamps which appeared on May 22nd, overprints this time on the high values of the 1929 official series, Scott's No. 641-2-3. These are overprinted in red or blue: "HABILITADO—Servicio Aereo—Mayo 1930" in three lines. (One wonders if they are going to mark every month this year with a new series.)

NEW ISSUES

Bahamas, A10. 1d, 3d, 2 var.	.12
Belgium Aeros. 50c, 1.50f, 2f, 5f.	.35
Chile Postage. 10c, 20c, 40c, 1p, 4 var.	.40
Congo Aeros. AP5-6. 15f, 30f, 2 var.	1.80
Costa Rico Aeros. 10c, 30/50c, 40/50c, 1 col.	.65
Dom. Rep. Aeros. AP1. 10c, 20c	.45
Eritrea. A32/39. 2c to 10L, 10 var.	1.45
Greece, A54/71. 10L to 50D, 18 var.	2.85
Hayti, AP1. 25c at 8c; 50c at	.15
AP1. 75c at 22c; 1g at	.28
Honduras Aeros A24. 5/10, 15/20, 20/50	.75
Aeros 5/10, 10/20, 25/50, 25/50, 50/25/1p	2.50
Iceland, A5. 10k on 5k	3.65
Paraguay Aeros. AP7-6. 50/50, 6/10p, 6.80p, 6.80p, 4 var.	.90
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1930 **Air Post Stamps**
(Overprinted as above)

0-5 20c dark blue (R)
0-6 50c orange, green & blue (B)
0-7 1p buff (Bl)

ICELAND

A new 10 kr postage stamp has appeared, another surcharge of course, this time on the 5kr stamp of 1907-08, Scott's No. 85. The surcharge is the same as on No. 140, 149 and 151.

1930 A-5 10kr on 5kr brown and slate.
—(Mr. Helge Hasselbaum)

We also illustrate the new set of air-post stamps which was issued rather unexpectedly on June 1st, in connection with the millenary celebration of the Althing, the Icelandic Parliament. The stamps were printed in London in quantities of 40,000 of each of the first two values, and 25,000 of the three higher values. About one thousand sets were held back to be sold on the formal opening date of the celebration, June 26th., at which time only one set per person was to be sold. The rest were completely sold out in two days at the post office at Reykjavik.

We list them below, with a brief explanation of the central design in each, the frames being identical. It is interesting to note that they are printed on paper bearing a new watermark, apparently a rosette or elaborated maltese cross 10mm in diameter very similar to Scott's watermark No. 47 used in the Papua issue of 1901-05.

1930 **Air Post Stamps**

AP-2 15a red-brown and ultramarine (Snafellsjokull on west coast)

AP-3 20a brown and dark blue (Small Icelandic fishing craft)

AP-4 35a sage green and brown (Icelandic pony)

AP-5 50a green and dark blue (Waterfall at Gullfoss)

AP-6 1kr sage green and carmine (Statue of Ingolfur Arnason, the first settler in Iceland, erected near his supposed home. In the background: outer harbor of Reykjavik)

—(Mr. Helge Hasselbaum)
—(Economist Stamp Co.)

ITALY

Mr. S. Bayer reports in Mekeel's certain changes in the air-post stamps of the handsome Vergil commemorative series. The 8.50 lire air stamp will not be issued due to a change in the trans-Atlantic air-post rate. In its place and in the same design, will be issued a 7.70+1.30 lire stamp for air mail to Brazil and a 9.+2 lire for Argentina. The 50c and 1 lire air stamps of this issue will be overprinted for use in Libia, Eritria and Somalia.

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EDITORIALS

A STAMP FOR BYRD Mr. Wm. Alhauser, of Milwaukee, sends a clipping from the Milwaukee Journal in which it is suggested that a commemorative stamp be issued honoring Richard Evelyn Byrd. Many claims are made as reason for the issue of such a special stamp. The Journal goes so far as to suggest that the proposed change in the 1½ cent stamp with Harding's portrait be sidetracked and that a stamp commemorative of the great feat of Richard Byrd be issued in its place.

The Journal says, "If anyone doubts there is no place for it, the administration might very well make a place by dropping the project of a new stamp to bear Harding's portrait and substituting a design—it might be a penguin—for Byrd. It might help us forget a little, and it would hold up to American youth a character worth emulating."

RIGHT MAN IN THE RIGHT PLACE We believe that we have a right to feel proud of our selection of Mr. Ralph A. Kimble as our New Issue Editor. Mr. Kimble has already shown that he means to make this feature a real one and we are praying for the summer season to get over so that we can get back to our regular schedule and have more room for him to give the news of new stamps and prospective changes. As matters are Mr. Kimble seems to be planning to "steal the whole paper", and we anticipate big things from him.

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IT WON'T BE LONG NOW UNtil cooler weather will be on deck, the summers seem to get shorter and shorter as years roll by and to the true stamp enthusiast the hot weather season is never so long as to the man who puts them aside and waits until the snow falls before he thinks of them again.

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New Issues

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LATVIA

According to Whitfield King & Co. reporting to Mekeel's the recent Rainis commemorative issue has apparently been cornered and is being held for high prices. More dirty work at the crossroads.

LICHTENSTEIN

Mr. Daniel Jacoby writes to tell us that the new air-post series is to appear this month, consisting of the following values: 15, 20, 25, 35, 45c and 1 fr. Further details as soon as we receive them.

NEW ZEALAND

Sad news for the air-mail fans! Economist Stamp Co. submits a letter from the General Post Office at Wellington, stating that the Administration has no intention of issuing air-post stamps in the near future.

NORWAY

Another country about to enter the ranks with semi-postals. The first Charity issue of Norway is due to appear July 10th. The set will consist of three stamps of the values 15, 20 and 25 ore, each with a surtax of 25 ore which will go to the Tourist Association of Norway. They will be pictorials, with a view of the North Cape on them.

—(Mr. Helge Hasselbaum)

PAPUA

A. C. Roessler reports the reissue of the w.k. air-post stamp. Very like the first issue except for a slight yellowish tinge to the paper. Let us hope that get-rich-quick visions are not afflicting this colony.

PARAGUAY

A short series of air-post stamps in a new design is at hand. Only three stamps in the set, all of the same design in a large format, 27x29½mm on thin, white, unwatermarked paper, perf. 12. They were issued May 14th, in com-

memoration of the Paraguayan Declaration of Independence on May 14, 1811. Just 30,000 of each issued.

1930 **Air Post Stamps**

2.85 peso deep blue
3.40 peso green
4.75 peso brown red.

—(Economist Stamp Co.)
—(Roessler's Stamp News)

PERSIA

The 1c air-post stamp of the 1928-29 series, Scott's No. 1122, listed as emerald green is also appearing in a decided apple-green color.

—(Marks Stamp Co., Ltd.)

PHILIPPINES

Mr. Percy A. Hill reports in Mekeel's that a new pictorial set is to be prepared featuring local scenery. Values are to be 2, 4, 16, 18, 24, 36c and 1 peso. The one and two peso stamps of the current issue are practically obsolete, having been called in since last August, but there is an ample supply of all lower values, so the pictorial set will not replace them. Another set to commemorate the opening of the new post office is due soon, but numbers and values of same are withheld.

SALVADOR

Mr. H. Chitraro writes us that Salvador will have a new air-post series issued in July. Values to be 15, 20, 25 and 40c or a total value of 1 peso. After the brainstorms of some of the recent high cost air mails, this is a blessed relief.

SPAIN

Lesgor and Reel report a set of fourteen values issued for the International Railway Congress at Madrid. They are: 2c yellow-green, 5c brown-red, 10c green, 15c gray-green, 20c purple, 25c rose-red, 30c olive-brown, 40c blue, 50c orange, 1p gray, 4p magenta, 10p brown. There is also a 20c special delivery in brown, and a set of six air-post stamps: 5c brown, 10c magenta, 25c blue, 50c purple, 1p yellow-green and 4p gray.

SWITZERLAND

Economist Stamp Co. reports from their Swiss correspondent a new 10fr postage stamp in green with the overprint "S. D. N. & B. I. T." issued for the League of Nations. It is stated that no mint copies are available, only cancelled to order.

TRANSJORDANIA

We have at hand from the Economist Stamp Co. the two final values in the modified designs. The 1 pound value is a new one for this country and in the lower right corner has the initials "LP" for pound.

1930 **Series of 1927-29 with modified designs**

A3 500m deep brown
A3 1 pound gray.

TURKEY

Mr. R. Roberts reports in Mekeel's that the 1k olive bistre, cherubim type, has been overprinted with a red star and white crescent. Also that the 10 para of the current series is now green, 20 para violet, 1k olive bistre and 7½k claret.

URUGUAY

A Centenary set of 15 values will be placed on sale July 18th. Denominations will be: 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 10, 15, 20, 24, 50c, 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p, 5p. They are being printed in London, and there will be just 5,000 of each.

—(Mr. H. Chitraro)

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Excessive rain during the second week in June, 1930, carried away several bridges on the Northern Alberta Railway, the only railroad serving the extensive Peace River country and the highways were also impassable. On authority from Ottawa arrangements were made to have the Commercial Airways, of Edmonton, carry mail across the gap where the railroad was unable to operate. On June 17th, a plane left Edmonton, carrying mail at ordinary postal rates, which had no special markings, and on the evening of June 17th, the P. O. Dept. delivered two more bags of mail to Commercial Airways, franked with 2c postage and the 10c company sticker, which was carried from Edmonton to Smith, Alberta, arriving about 5 p. m on June 18th. Mr. Glyn-Roberts was the pilot. However, on June 18th, the repairs had been made and traffic was re-opened, and the emergency service discontinued. Many thanks to our fried, G. W. Linke for these details.

Commercial Airways, Sticker

New stickers now in use by this company contains the words, "air Fee" in the ovals on either side, instead of the words "Via Air" which has been in use since the middle of 1929; this change is due to the fact that in June, 1930, the new plates could not be found, making it necessary to print a supply from the old plate bearing the inscription "Air Fee". They are printed in sheets of ten, five horizontal rows of two, imperforated at top, right and bottom, this making only three stamps in each sheet, entirely perforated, and sell at 10c as before.

More Zepp Covers

Circular letter from F. W. Von Meister, Special Representative of Luftschiffbau Zeppelin, 578 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y., states that he will receive covers for mailing on the further summer trips of the Graf Zeppelin. The postage on these is 50 cents and a handling charge of 15 cents per cover, or if you want them mailed on board ship, a handling charge of 20 cents per cover. Covers should be addressed to your own address, and marked "Via Graf Zeppelin, from Friedrichshafen" and date of the trip, and accompanied by Money Order for 65 or 70 cents each. Readers probably have time to take advantage of the following part of the schedule: Aug. 2 or 3rd. Trip to Darmstadt, Germany. Aug. 5th. Trip of about 60 hours to Maderia and Teneriffe, and returning probably over the Azores; Aug. 12th. Trip of about 48 hours over the East-Sea (Denmark, Sweden and Finland); Aug. 19th. Trip of 49 hours over the Mediterranean Sea, around Italy, Sicily and Adriatic Sea; Aug. 30 or 31st. Trip to Leipsic, Germany.

Air Tours

We who have not been following Air Tours have missed out on some good dedications this year, as many cities decide on the day of the visit of the State Air Tour, and we don't have time to get that fact to you; for example word received today says that Niles, Newberry and Manistee would each dedicate during the visit of the Michigan Air Tour, leaving Pontiac, July 9th. Too bad.

New York Air Tour

A. G. Diamond of Buffalo, N. Y., writes that Colonial Western Airways will provide a cachet for the State Tour which starts from Buffalo on July 4th. Send Covers to company, P. O. Branch Sta. E., Buffalo, N. Y.

Akron Anniversary

Reese J. Williams, 768 Wooster Ave., Akron, advises that it is very possible a cachet for 2nd Anniversary of CAM No. 16, on Aug. 1st, may be provided at Akron, and that he will be glad to take care of covers for the collectors who may send them in.

Oskaloosa, Iowa

Will dedicate its airport on July 27th, and the Chamber of Commerce is providing a nice cachet. Send covers to Chas. S. Walling, Postmaster, Guy West Wilson and members of Mahaska Stamp Club have co-operated in providing this cover, so don't miss it.

N. W. Pacific Air Tour

Robt. W. Meinhoff advises that this tour will not take place until the latter part of July or First of August, and that Portland, Ore., is sure to be one of the stops and provide a cachet. You may send your covers to him, at P. O. Box No. 3311.

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From R. M. Flynn, cover carried on the "Betsey Ann" June 28th, during the boat race—From P. J. Vasbinder, cover from Erie's Welcome to Paul A. Siple of the Antarctic Expedition.—From J. B. Heffelfinger, cover from the Wichita Aeronautical Festival, June 28th—From Jos. F. Ulman, cover from the Philadelphia Welcome to Admiral Byrd.—From L. F. Preus, cover from Minneapolis, celebrating arrival of Chas. Morrow Lindbergh.

Miscellaneous

As soon as Watertown, N. Y., is designated as a port of entry daily airplane service from there to Kingston, Ont., will be established. This may mean mail service soon.

Lakedelton Airport at Delton, Wis., was dedicated June 28th.

Muncie, Ind., returns covers saying not till 1931.

Eugene Hoiles writes that Greenville, Ill., airport will be dedicated the last of July or first of August, with cachet by C. of C. Better send to Hoiles right away.

Hammondsport, N. Y., July 18th, cachet for visit of State Aviation Commission. Send to C. of C.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 1st—Byrd Lecture visit; send to J. P. Penning, at Homestead, Pa.

Muskogee, Okla., mailed on the day of Dedication, 150 covers with printed cachet in blue and six in black, as well as about 2,500 covers hand-stamped in purple.

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